



Florida Senior Games Series Grant Program FY 2018/2019 (July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019)

The Florida Sports Foundation, (Foundation), Florida Senior Games Series Grant Program is designed to assist communities and host organizations with initiatives and efforts to increase participation in the Florida Senior Games Series. This funding opportunity is for Florida Senior Games Series Qualifiers in good standing with the Foundation.

Applicants must meet the following criteria:

1. Must be a Sanctioned Florida Senior Games Series Qualifier for 2018 or 2019.
2. Must abide by all rules and regulations for FSG Series Sanctioning.
3. Must be current on Sanctioning dues.
4. Must regularly submit results on time in the correct format.
5. Must provide the Foundation opportunities to promote the Florida Senior Games during competition and special events and must actively promote participation in the Florida Senior Games to its participants.
6. Must reasonably support the bid efforts of its regional Sports Commission when seeking to host the Florida Senior Games (if applicable).

Grant Requirements:

In addition to the criteria above, which defines eligible applicants, grant request must follow these requirements:

- Submitted on the appropriate Grant Application (one application per proposed request).
- Funding requests may not exceed a total of \$1,500 per year per Series Qualifier
- Funding requests must be for event enhancements and is not intended to offset current expenditures
- Funding requests must be for the following projects:
 - Advertising in print or electronic media (newspaper, periodicals, magazines, billboards, social media) which must include FSG Series logo
 - Rental or purchase of competition services or equipment to enhance competitor experience limited to:

- Professional timing services or equipment
- Basketball Shot Clocks
- Archery Targets
- Powerlifting judging equipment, platforms or weights
- Pickleball, Table Tennis, Tennis and Volleyball nets and standards
- Track & Field implements
- Rental for upgraded competition facility. Grant request must be for the difference between cost of old facility and new facility and required documentation.
- Spokesperson(s) or guest speaker(s) for Senior Games special events or marketing initiatives.
- Printed promotional materials (graphic design or printing expense only).
- Photography or videography services at Senior Games for use in developing promotional materials/media.
- Applicant must provide acceptable documentation of expenditures for the approved initiative or enhancement in order to receive reimbursement of approved expenditures. Acceptable documentation includes contract / purchase order, invoice and cancelled check. Under special circumstances, the applicant may request the Foundation pay the expense directly, however written notification must be made in advance and acknowledged in writing by Florida Sports Finance.
- Following the Games, applicant must provide a post event report outlining the approved initiative or enhancement and any available data showing the impact this funding had on the event and participation.

Selection Process:

Grant applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until all funds for the fiscal year have been awarded or the fiscal year has ended. Applications will be approved based on the following criteria:

- Applicant eligibility
- Application compliance with requirements
- Details of proposed initiative or enhancements
- If proposed initiative or enhancement is sport-specific, only FSG core sports will be considered
- Ability to track impact of proposed initiative or enhancement
- Budgetary or participatory need
- Funds available

Reimbursement:

After the Foundation receives all of the Grant Agreement requirements and reviews the Post Event Report, the grant funds will be forwarded to the Grantee.

This is a State Funded Award

1. The Grantor hereby indicates state financial assistance is used to fund this Agreement, awarded through the Department of Economic Opportunity by an agreement.

FLORIDA SPORTS FOUNDATION Funding FY 2017-2018		
Line Item	Title	Fund
2235	Grants and Aids – FLORIDA SPORTS FOUNDATION	State Economic Enhancement and Development (SEED) TF
2235	Grants and Aids – FLORIDA SPORTS FOUNDATION	Professional Sports Development TF

Catalog of State Financial Assistance

Standard state project number identifier: **40.040**

State Project Title: **Local Economic Development Initiatives**

Agency: **Department of Economic Opportunity**

Program: **Community Development/Division of Strategic Business Development**

Budget Entity: **40300100 / 40300200 / 40400100 Community and Economic Development**

Projects

Specific Appropriation: **Line Item 2235**

Appropriation Category: **100562 / 100931 / 102241 – Community and Economic Development**

Projects

Authorization: **GAA**

2. In connection with the audit requirements addressed in herein, the Grantee shall ensure that the audit complies with the requirements of Section 215.97(8), Florida Statutes. This includes submission of a financial reporting package as defined by Section 215.97(2), Florida Statutes, and Chapters 10.550 (local governmental entities) or 10.650 (nonprofit and for-profit organizations), Rules of the Auditor General.
3. Additional information regarding the Florida Single Audit Act can be found at:
<https://apps.fldfs.com/fsaa/statutes.aspx>

FLORIDA SENIOR GAMES SERIES GRANT PROGRAM
FY 2018-2019 APPLICATION

Organization Name: _____

Contact Name: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____

Description of proposed initiative or enhancement:

Goal for number of new participants recruited through this initiative/enhancement: _____

Cost of proposed initiative/enhancement: \$ _____

Grant request: \$ _____

Total annual event budget: \$ _____

Has your organization tried this initiative/enhancement before? If not, why?

How does your organization plan to track success of this initiative/enhancement?

I hereby verify that all details of this application are true and that I am authorized to submit this grant request on behalf of the organizational applicant.

Print Name: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____